COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE COMPLAINT OF CHARLES HATTON,)
LONDON, KENTUCKY, AGAINST THE) CASE NO. 8303
WOOD CREEK WATER DISTRICT)

ORDER

On May 8, 1981, Mr. Charles Hatton (Complainant) filed with the Public Service Commission a formal complaint against the Wood Creek Water District ("District") contending that the District was not providing adequate water pressure (30 p.s.i.) to his residence as required by 807 KAR 5:066. A hearing on this matter was held on October 20, 1981, in the Public Service Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky.

On December 8, 1981, the Commission issued its order in this matter, finding number eleven of which stated:

If the proposed plant expansion and water line construction does not solve the problem of low pressure, or if the water pressure becomes inadequate prior to summer 1982, the Complainant should advise the Public Service Commission.

Complainant, by letter dated May 6, 1982, advised the Commission that he has had repeated problems with the water pressure in the pipelines serving his residence since January 1982.

The Commission, after consideration of Complainant's letter and investigation of the matter, is of the opinion and finds that:

- 1. The proposed plant expansion and water line construction, which should alleviate the Complainant's low water pressure problems, has not begun.
- 2. The District has not provided estimated dates as to when construction will start and when it will be completed.
- 3. The Complainant's low water pressure problems in the past were alleviated by the installation and maintenance of a booster pump by the District.

Based upon the above-stated findings, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- (1) The District shall install and maintain a temporary booster pump of such size to insure Complainant adequate water pressure to his residence as required by 807 KAR 5:066.
- (2) The temporary booster pump shall remain in place until the plant expansion and water line construction is completed or until such time as the District can, without its use, provide the Complainant adequate water pressure (30 p.s.i.) to his residence as required by 807 KAR 5:066.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 25th day of May, 1982.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary